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1)	6,721,748	04/13/04	Knight et al.
2)	6,859,807	02/22/05	Knight et al.
3)	7,085,840	08/01/06	De Jong et al.
4)	7,174,512	02/06/07	Martin et al.
5)	2002/0067376	06/06/02	Martin et al.
6)	2004/0024652	02/05/04	Buhse et al.
7)	2004/0054923	03/18/04	Seago et al.
8)	2004/0205028	10/14/04	Verosub et al.
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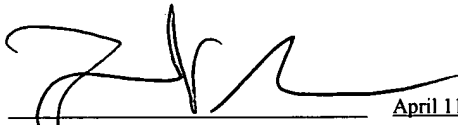
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